

## DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

## FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original, first and is listed below) or an original, first and joi listed below) of the subject matter which is a sought on the invention entitled	nt inventor (if plural names are
FLOATING VIRTUALIZATION LAYERS	
the specification of which (check one)	
is attached hereto.	
<pre>X was filed on December 29, 2000 as Application Serial No. 09/752,071 and was amended on</pre>	
(if applicable)	
I hereby state that I have reviewed and under identified specification, including the claim referred to above.	
I acknowledge the duty to disclose information patentability of this application in accordance Regulations, §1.56.	
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